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Inspection Report

Permit Number:	C0410002
Inspection Type:	COMPLETE
Inspection Date:	Thursday, October 16, 2003
Start Date/Time:	10/16/2003 9:30:00 AM
End Date/Time:	10/16/2003 3:00:00 PM
Last Inspection:	Saturday, September 13, 2003

Inspector: Pete Hess, Reclamation Specialist III

Weather: Sunny, cool: 40's Fahrenheit

Accepted by: pgrubaug
11/13/2003

Permittee: **CANYON FUEL COMPANY LLC**

Operator: **CANYON FUEL COMPANY LLC**

Site: **SUFCA MINE**

Address: **397 S 800 W, SALINA UT 84654**

County: **SEVIER**

Permit Type: **PERMANENT COAL PROGRAM**

Permit Status: **ACTIVE**

Current Acreages

24,632.95	Total Permitted
27.36	Total Disturbed
	Phase I
	Phase II
	Phase III

Mineral Ownership

- ☒ Federal
- ☒ State
- ☐ County
- ☐ Fee
- ☐ Other

Types of Operations

- ☒ Underground
- ☐ Surface
- ☐ Loadout
- ☐ Processing
- ☐ Reprocessing

Report summary and status for pending enforcement actions, permit conditions, Division Orders, and amendments:

The permittee has initiated the secondary coal extraction process in the 3 Left Pines East longwall panel. Mr. Davis anticipated that mining would start to infringe on the East Fork of Box Canyon during the first week of November.

Inspector's Signature: _____

Date Monday, November 03, 2003

Pete Hess, Reclamation Specialist III

Inspector ID Number: 46

Note: This inspection report does not constitute an affidavit of compliance with the regulatory program of the Division of Oil, Gas and Mining

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Inspection Continuation Sheet

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REVIEW OF PERMIT, PERFORMANCE STANDARDS PERMIT CONDITION REQUIREMENT

1. *Substantiate the elements on this inspection by checking the appropriate performance standard.*
 - a. *For COMPLETE inspections provide narrative justification for any elements not fully inspected unless element is not appropriate to the site, in which case check Not Applicable.*
 - b. *For PARTIAL inspections check only the elements evaluated.*
2. *Document any noncompliance situation by reference the NOV issued at the appropriate performance standard listed below.*
3. *Reference any narratives written in conjunction with this inspection at the appropriate performance standard listed below.*
4. *Provide a brief status report for all pending enforcement actions, permit conditions, Division Orders, and amendments.*

	Evaluated	Not Applicable	Comment	Enforcement
1. Permits, Change, Transfer, Renewal, Sale	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
2. Signs and Markers	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3. Topsoil	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4.a Hydrologic Balance: Diversions	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4.b Hydrologic Balance: Sediment Ponds and Impoundments	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4.c Hydrologic Balance: Other Sediment Control Measures	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4.d Hydrologic Balance: Water Monitoring	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4.e Hydrologic Balance: Effluent Limitations	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
5. Explosives	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
6. Disposal of Excess Spoil, Fills, Benches	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
7. Coal Mine Waste, Refuse Piles, Impoundments	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
8. Noncoal Waste	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
9. Protection of Fish, Wildlife and Related Environmental Issues	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
10. Slides and Other Damage	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
11. Contemporaneous Reclamation	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
12. Backfilling And Grading	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
13. Revegetation	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
14. Subsidence Control	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
15. Cessation of Operations	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
16.a Roads: Construction, Maintenance, Surfacing	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
16.b Roads: Drainage Controls	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
17. Other Transportation Facilities	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
18. Support Facilities, Utility Installations	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
19. AVS Check	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
20. Air Quality Permit	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
21. Bonding and Insurance	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
22. Other	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

4.d Hydrologic Balance: Water Monitoring

Due to extensive permitting requirements to allow the undermining of the East Fork of Box Canyon, the permittee found it necessary to request an extension of time in order to submit the second quarter of 2003 water monitoring information for the SUFCO Mine permit area. The Division granted that extension request, requiring that the data be submitted by October 15. The surface and ground water monitoring information for the Mine was received by the due date, 10/15/2003.

4.e Hydrologic Balance: Effluent Limitations

7. Coal Mine Waste, Refuse Piles, Impoundments

The permittee conducted the third quarter waste rock pile inspection on September 11, 2003. Cell #4 is the active cell; cells 1-3 have been reclaimed. There were no signs of spontaneous combustion noted. Although some erosion of the pile was observed in September from the August storms, the permittee has re-shaped those areas.

16.a Roads: Construction, Maintenance, Surfacing

The permittee has repaired the access road to the Mine site sediment pond; the road received extensive washing during the August event which exceeded the 10 year 24 hour design storm. It was necessary to repair the road in order to haul cleanout material from the Mine site sediment pond.

18. Support Facilities, Utility Installations

The Link Canyon surface facilities were inspected this day. There were no compliance issues noted. The permittee may want to consider removing the silt fences adjacent to the area which has been reclaimed at the bottom of the Canyon. Vegetation has re-established itself. Further sediment control is provided in the form of rock/litter cover, which reduce the effects of rain drop impact.